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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

Steven Teig

Serial No.: 10/079,270

Filing Date: 2/20/2002

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
COMPUTING PLACEMENT COSTS

Examiner: Paul Dinh

Group Art Unit: 2825

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE TO AN OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In complete response to the Office Action dated 12/01/2004, attached please find:

1. This Amendment Transmittal Letter;
2. An Amendment and Response to the Office Action;
3. A Petition for Extension of Time; and
4. A Credit Card Payment Form is attached to cover the required fees.

If this amendment is deemed late, applicant hereby petitions for any needed extension of time needed. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this transmittal and associated documents, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1128.

The fee has been calculated as follows:

CLAIM TYPE	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER CLAIMS	CLAIM FEE	ADDITIONAL CHARGES
TOTAL CLAIMS	18 - 20 =	0	x \$50.00	\$0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2 - 3 =	0	x \$200.00	\$0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			+ \$360.00	\$0
1 MONTH PETITION FOR EXTENSION FOR REPLY :				\$120.00
Total from Above				\$120.00
Reduction by 1/2 for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28). The Applicant hereby states that it qualifies as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27				\$0.00
				TOTAL = \$120.00

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 12/01/2004 please consider Applicants' remarks as follows:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

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